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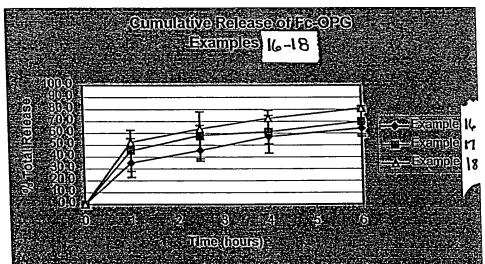


FIGURE 1b

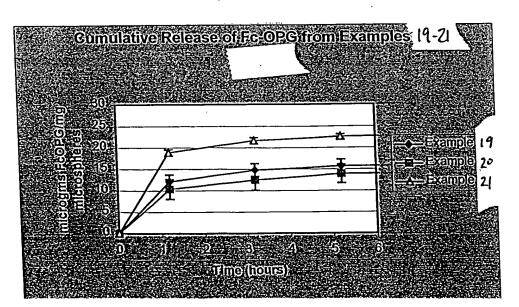
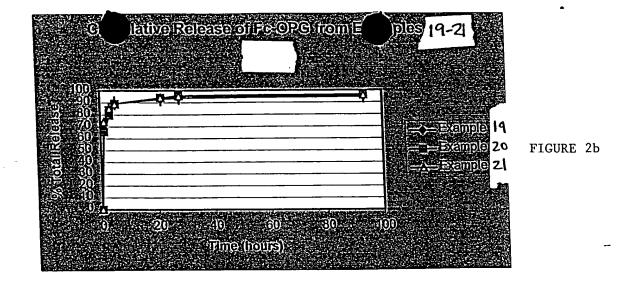
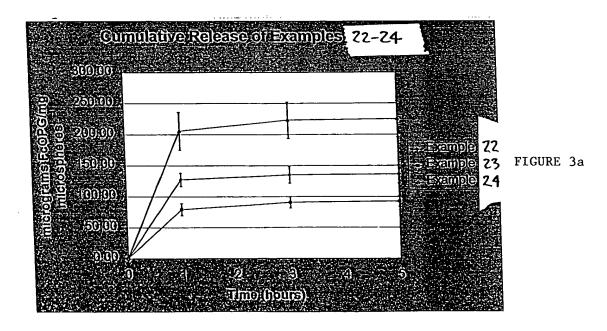
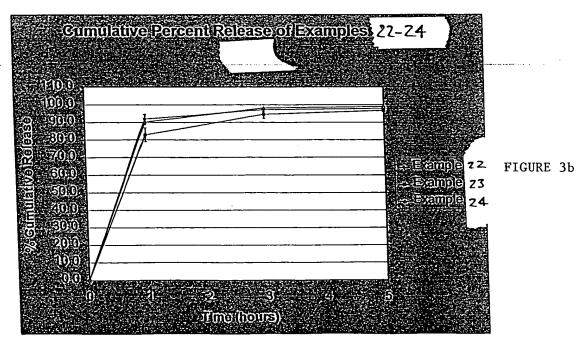
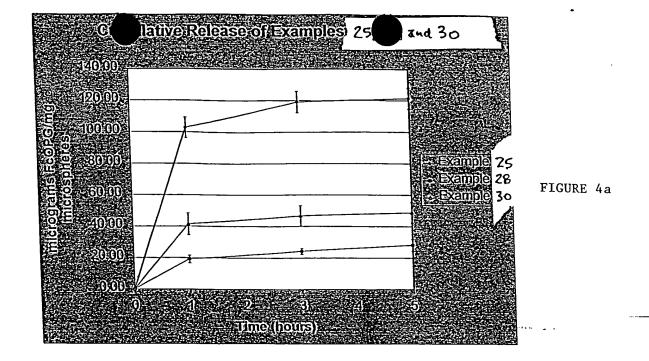


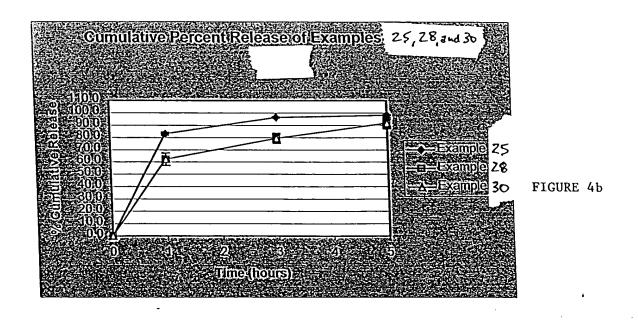
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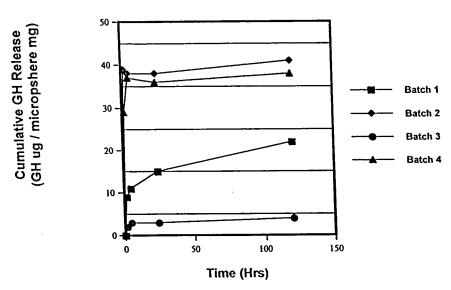






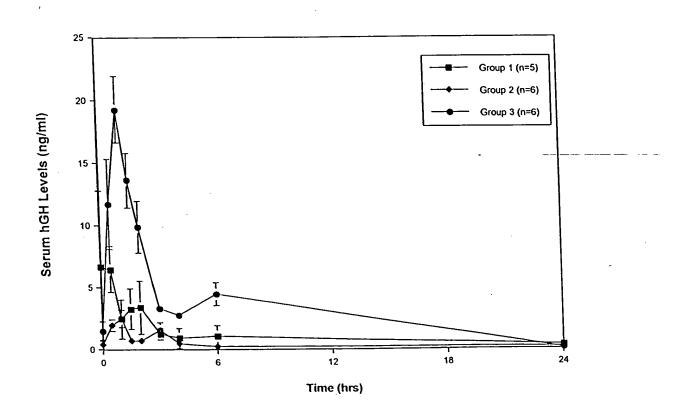






Cumulative GH release profile of microspheres reconstituted at 50 mg/ml. Note that the theoretical GH loading for all four batches was 35.4  $\mu$ g per mg of microsphere.

FIGURE 5



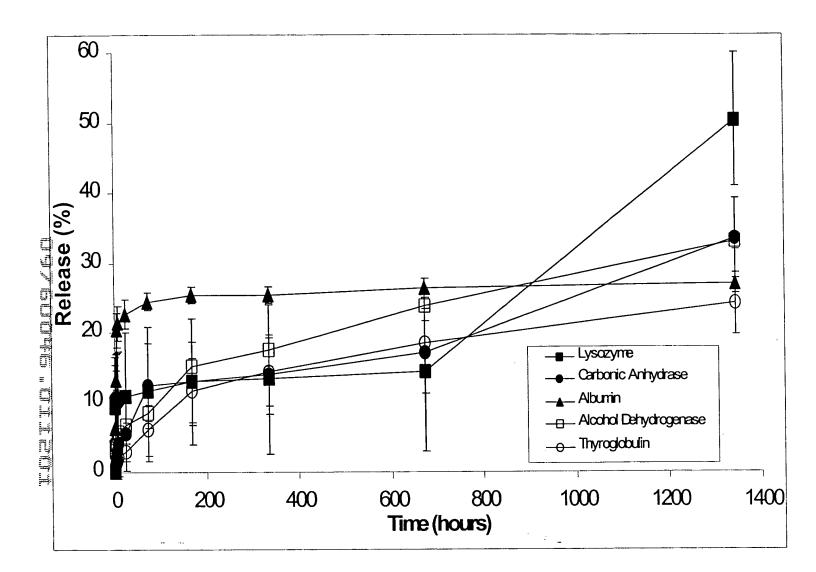


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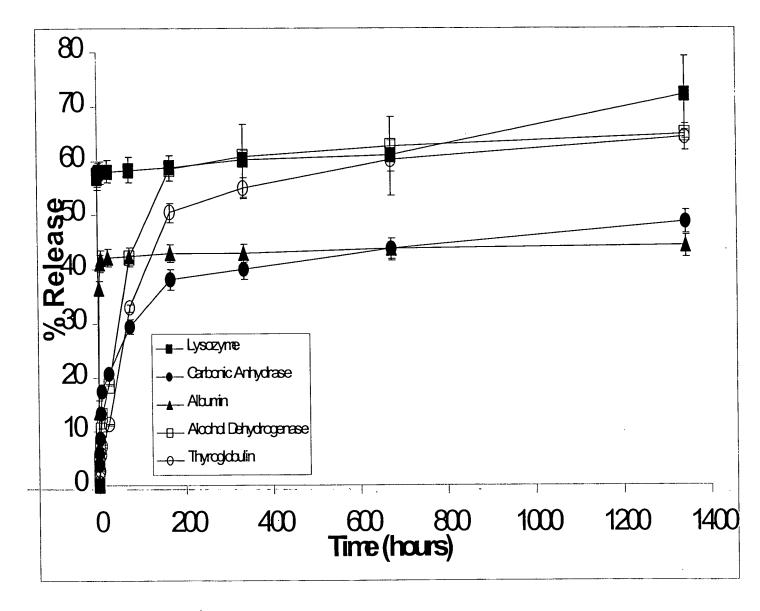


FIGURE 8



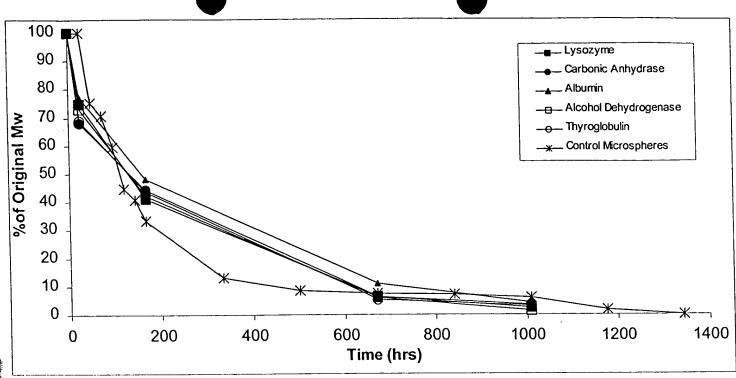


FIGURE 9

